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Applicant: Noboru SEGAWA et al.
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 25, 2007, Applicants hereby elect the claims of Group I, claims 1-3, for prosecution in the subject application:

Applicants, of course, reserve the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Receipt of the initial Office Action on the merits is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,

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